

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Forrest County, Mississippi****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

| | | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|------------------------|---|------|------|------|------|------|
| Fatality Counts | Total Fatalities | 24 | 19 | 25 | 18 | 17 |
| | Alcohol-Related | 13 | 4 | 13 | 8 | 5 |
| | Single Vehicle | 13 | 9 | 16 | 8 | 9 |
| | Non-Junction | 14 | 10 | 21 | 12 | 12 |
| | Intersection | 7 | 8 | 2 | 5 | 5 |
| | Intersection-Related | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Speeding Involved | 4 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 3 |
| | Pedestrians | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| | Pedalcyclists | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Large Truck Involved | 1 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 2 |
| | Roadway Departure | 12 | 15 | 18 | 6 | 13 |
| | Passenger Car Occupants | 11 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 13 |
| | Light Truck/Van Occupants | 12 | 8 | 10 | 4 | 3 |
| | Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles) | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles) | 24 | 18 | 23 | 15 | 17 |
| | Motorcycle Riders | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2001**

| Fatalities | Total | Restrained | Unrestrained | Unknown |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 2001 | 14 | 5 | 8 | 1 |

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2001**

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

| | 2001 | | | |
|---|------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| | Fatalities | Rank Within State | Fatality Rate | Rank Within State |
| Total Fatalities | 17 | 9 | 23.26 | 57 |
| Alcohol-Related | 5 | 20 | 6.84 | 56 |
| Single Vehicle | 9 | 11 | 12.31 | 57 |
| Non-Junction | 12 | 8 | 16.42 | 54 |
| Intersection | 5 | 7 | 6.84 | 35 |
| Intersection-Related | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Speeding Involved | 3 | 15 | 4.10 | 42 |
| Pedestrians | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pedalcyclists | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Large Truck Involved | 2 | 18 | 2.74 | 40 |
| Roadway Departure | 13 | 4 | 17.79 | 50 |
| Passenger Car Occupants | 13 | 4 | 17.79 | 36 |
| Light Truck/Van Occupants | 3 | 36 | 4.10 | 68 |
| Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles) | 1 | 8 | 1.37 | 16 |
| Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles) | 17 | 6 | 23.26 | 51 |
| Motorcycle Riders | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.